

Radical: Surrender to an Uncommon Life (Matthew 5-7)

Sermon Devotional

Series: Transitions

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1. When you think of Christians today, what kind of words come to mind?
2. Do you believe those words apply to you?
3. When you think of the Christians that we read about in the New Testament, do different words come to mind? If so, what words?

Digging Deeper

4. Read Matthew 5-7 or access Pastor David's message at broadviewchurch.com/media.
5. In Matthew 5:5, what kind of people did Jesus say would inherit the earth? What kind of people does the world say will inherit the earth?
6. Jesus said that we should offer our other cheek to the person who slaps us, and that we should give our coat to those who sue us for our shirt (cf. Matthew 5:39-40). Are there many people who live this way today?
7. Jesus said we should give, pray, and fast in secret. Why do most people want to make a spectacle of these actions?
8. In Matthew 6:25-34, Jesus told us not to worry, but instead to do what in verse 33?

Bringing It Home

9. What do you think would happen if Christians began to live according to the radical ways Jesus prescribed in the Sermon on the Mount?
 10. What is one change you can consider making to live more according to Jesus' commands?
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